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Federal Communications Commission (FCC)
445 Twelfth Street SW
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Sincerely,

Denise M. Bennett

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Ben Stephens

*My Mom Uses (FCC)
& Needs To Have The
Communication possible for
Her. Doctor & other Reasons
THANK YOU*

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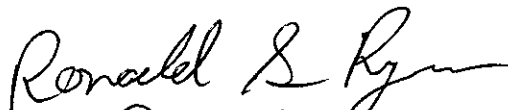
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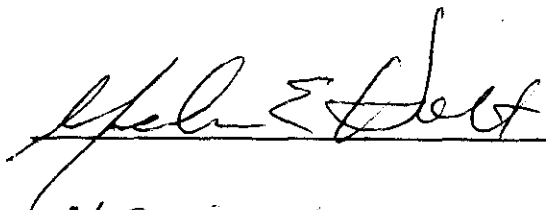
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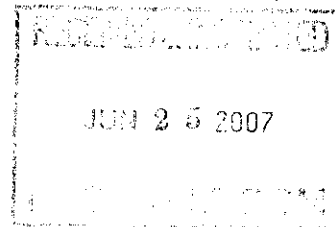
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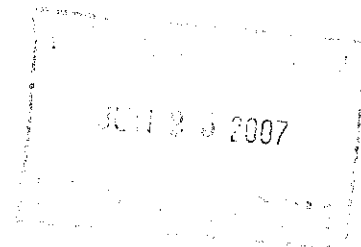
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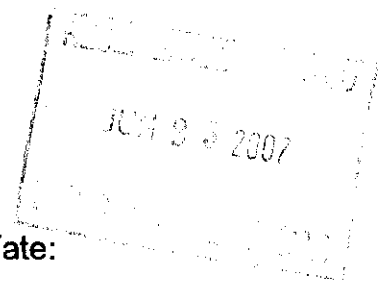
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Lori A. Hiles

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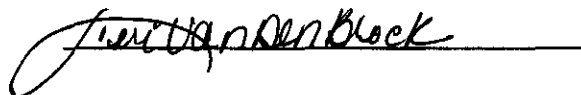
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RE: CG Docket No. 03-123

Federal Communications Commission (FCC)

445 Twelfth Street SW
Washington, DC 20554



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Sincerely,

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Nilda Jimenez,
We use Video Relay Service to keep in
contact with my sister.

Belinda Long
806-792-5369

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ML Stott

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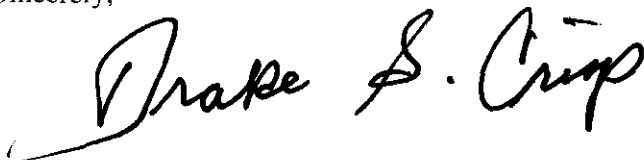
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